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Announces the following change in his appointment beginning the Week of August 14:

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FOR SALE: Sawn peanut slats at Wise Mill; price, 15¢ each delivered, 1¢ job mill. John B. Wise, Elba, Alabama.

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FOR SALE: One 5-burner Florence Oil Stove with built-in oven; also some new parts for stove. George Conway, phone 134, Elba; Alabama, Ala.

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NOLIN-OLIVER  
Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Nolin announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary Jewel, to Pvt. Joe Oliver, of Camp Rucker, formerly of Birmingham. The ceremony was performed in Birmingham, August 9. Those present were the bride's parents and sister, Mrs. Glenie Ree Austin, of Enterprise, and Miss Willene Perkins.

Later a supper was served in honor of the bride and groom at the home of the bride's parents. Guests were Mrs. Otis Baggett and children, James, Rodney and Mrs. Floyd Foxworth and sons, Jerome and Franklin; Mrs. Lucien Perkins and daughters, Willene and Carolyn; Mr. Carlton and Shontsvelt Nolin, Mr. Row and Buck Marple, Mr. Kathleen Szczepanski and son, Eddie, Jr., of New York. Shortly after the supper the bride and groom left for Birmingham to visit the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oliver, Sr.—Contributed.

MRS. BRYANT DIES  
Mrs. Annie Bryant, 54 years of age, died at the Tuscaloosa hospital on August 17, after a long illness. Surviving are two sons, J. C. and Jesse Bryant; two sisters, Dulsie Thompson and Dollie Ammons; one brother, Foster Wise; three half-brothers, Johnnie, Paul and Silas Wise.

Funeral services and interment took place at Mt. Carmel Church with Rev. J. F. Powell officiating. Hayes Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Will Owen, Mrs. William Griffith, Miss Catherine Griffith, of Gadsden; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hall and son, of Montgomery, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Bullard last week.

Miss Irene Mock, of Elba Route 3, has returned home after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mock and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woodham in Mobile.

Mrs. Osborn Eiland and children, of Columbus, Ga., have been spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Eiland, of Basin community, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam King.

## THE ELBA THEATRE WEEKLY PROGRAM

THURSDAY—LAST DAY  
"THE KANSAN"  
—Starring—  
Richard Dix and Albert Dekker  
Admission 10c & 20c

FRIDAY—Home Feature  
"NONE SHALL ESCAPE"  
—Starring—  
Marsha Hunt, Alexander Knox, Henry Travers, Eric Rolf  
Western, Serial, Comedy  
Admission 10c & 20c

SATURDAY ALL DAY  
"LONE STAR TRAIL"  
—Starring—  
Johnny Mack Brown and Tex Ritter  
Admission 10c & 25c

SAT. 4 P. M.—LATE SHOW  
"FIRED WIFE"  
—Starring—  
Louise Albritton and Robert Paige  
Admission 10c & 20c

SUNDAY AND MONDAY  
"HEY, ROOKIE!"  
—Starring—  
Ann Miller, Joe Besser, Larry Parks  
Admission 10c & 20c

TUESDAY only—Bargain Day  
"HOSTAGES"  
—Starring—  
Louise Rainer and Arturo DeCordova  
Admission 10c & 20c

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY  
"THREE RUSSIAN GIRLS"  
—Starring—  
Anna Sten, Kent Smith  
Admission 10c & 20c

### BIRTHDAY DINNER

On Sunday, July 30, a number of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Kendrick to attend birthday dinner given in honor of their son, Paul, celebrating his 13th birthday. The crowd first attended church services at Zion Chapel where the revival was in progress.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Jeffery Smith and children, Charles, Leola, Jean and Carolyn; Mrs. Sidney Stevens and children, Jimmy and June; Mrs. Roy Jackson and son, Tullis; Donald Wilks, Douglas Rugg, Gene Fuller, Winfred Barker, Malgrom Meeks, Harlan Barnes, Mike Leola, Johnson, Nell, Wayne and Shirley Wilks, Merle Carr, Mary Agnes Rugg and Helen Boswell.

In the afternoon Vivian Hurd, Tullis Kelley, Jessie Hurd, Orville Johnson and Eugene Jacobs called.

Everyone enjoyed the day and wish Paul many more happy birthdays.—Contributed.

Dr. W. R. Crook and family moved to their new home on the Brantley highway last week. Mr. and Mrs. E. Lindsey are occupying the house vacated by the Crook family.

Mrs. D. H. Davis and Mrs. Ralph Lunsford and daughters, Muriel and Peggy, and Mrs. Bill Whitehurst, of Fairview, visited Mrs. James O. Davis and daughter last Thursday.

Miss Annie Lewis Drinkard visited Mrs. Sammie D. Boswell and Mrs. James O. Davis recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Howell Griswold were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Tillman last Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. P. Roberts spent several days last week in Dothan, guest of relatives.

Miss Zedie Rowe is spending the week in Montgomery with her sister, Miss Elizabeth Rowe.

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GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY!

### THREE HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

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Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Jack S. Divine and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willie D. Hodge and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hodge and family, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Johnson and family, Mrs. Dove Johnson, Mr. Bill Johnson, Mr. Dick Hataway, Mrs. A. W. Barker, and the honorees. Several others called during the afternoon.

All children and grandchildren were present except Mrs. Burton Lawson and Sgt. Joe F. Johnson, who is somewhere in Italy. Everyone missed them very much. The honorees many more happy birthdays.—Contributed.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam King, of Elba Route 2, have received word that their son, T. Cpl. Charlie Wyatt King, was wounded in action on July 28 in France and has been sent to England for treatment.

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**NATHAN ARENSON IS KILLED IN FRANCE; MEMORIAL HELD**

Mr. and Mrs. S. Arenson, of Elba, last Thursday received a message from the War Department announcing the death of their son, Nathan, who was killed in action August 8 in France. He had been at the front only three weeks, according to information received here.

Nathan was manager of the People's Department Store for a number of years and was well known throughout this section. He was a member of Elba Lions Club and had countless friends who will regret to learn of his death. Tuesday's Dothan Eagle carried this announcement about Mr. Arenson's death.

Memorial services for Nathan were held at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Arenson, Elba, Alabama, Rabbi Alfred Wolf will officiate.

Pvt. Arenson served with the infantry and received his training at Camp Shelby, Miss. He had been overseas but a few weeks and, when last heard from, had landed somewhere in France. A telegram from the War Department, followed by letter, informed the parents that their son had been killed in action August 8.

Pvt. Arenson is survived by his parents, three brothers: Cpl. Mike Arenson, stationed at Tyndall Field, Fla.; Cpl. Oscar K. Arenson, somewhere in the South Pacific, and Sidney Arenson, of Elba, one sister, Mrs. Jack Handloff, of Newark, Delaware.

**JORDAN DONALDSON IS PRISONER IN GERMANY**

Several weeks ago Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Donaldson received a message from the War Department stating that their son, Pfc. Jordan L. Donaldson, was missing in action. Last week they received another message stating that the International Red Cross had reported that Jordan was a prisoner somewhere in Germany. Friends will be glad to have the latest news from him and trust that he may soon be liberated from the German prison.

Sammy Rowe, member of the Merchant Marine, stationed at New Orleans, La., spent several days in Elba last week guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Rowe.

Miss Jane Farris, of Marianna, Fla., is visiting her sister, Mrs. P. H. Sellers, and family.

Mrs. D. F. Prescott received a cablegram Monday from her son, Pfc. Cecil Prescott, stating that he had landed safely for his overseas assignment.

Major Charles L. Rowe, who recently returned from several months' service in England, spent several days here last week with his sister, Miss Zedie Rowe, and other relatives. He will go to Miami Beach, Fla., in a few days for a rest period, after which he expects a new assignment.

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**IN MEMORY OF GEORGE  
T. MASON**

On Monday, July 10, 1944, the  
death angel visited the home of  
Mrs. Lulu L. Whitcomb and  
claimed her beloved father, Mr.  
George T. Mason.

He was born and reared in Pike  
County, in 1884 he was married to  
Susie Anne Adams; after which  
he moved to Coffey and has lived  
there until his death. He had  
been here a great many years. He  
was born Jan. 5, 1854, being 90  
years of age.

All that loving hands and medi-  
cal aid could do did not stay the  
hands of death. His mission here  
on earth was finished; his place  
in the great beyond was vacant  
and Jesus called him there.

Mr. Mason was a great joy to  
this home although for the last  
few years he was not entirely  
well. He endeavored to do all  
that he knew him by his sweet,  
patient ways. We often wonder  
why one so beloved is taken, but  
some day we'll understand. It  
was so hard to give him up, but  
the Lord knows best. His will  
be done, not ours. He only has  
the power to comfort our broken  
hearts.

Sleep on, dear one, for we hope  
to meet you in that great beyond  
where there are no more heart-  
aches and partings, and joys  
shall never cease.

He leaves to mourn: one sister,  
Miss Lulu Mason; two daugh-  
ters, Mrs. Lulu Whitcomb, of  
Stuff Springs, and Mrs. Mary  
Sander, Phenix City; one son,  
Rudie Mason, of Opelika, and a  
host of relatives and friends.

Funeral services were conduct-  
ed by Rev. J. P. Jones and the  
remains were taken to rest in  
Hopewell cemetery. Pallbearers  
were: A. F. Grant, J. A. Dyeas,  
Ed Kelley, Bud Kelley, N. W.  
Bryan, and Joseph Roberts. Hayes  
Funeral Home had charge of ar-  
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be the very best.

## Jackson Tire Shop

Walter Jackson, Owner  
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## MR. AND MRS. BRITT LETTERS FROM THEIR SONS OVERSEAS

Dear Father:

I take the greatest of pleasure  
in saying hello to all my friends  
and loved ones in and around  
Elba.

I have done quite a bit of mov-  
ing around since most of you have  
heard from me. Hope everyone  
is feeling fine and enjoying this  
pretty summer weather. Of  
course it might not be as pretty  
over there as it is over here. I  
hope it is, anyway. Guess most  
of you are busy with your cotton  
at this time, aren't you? Some-  
times we think our cotton is just  
about picked but we can't quit  
until we have covered the field  
perfectly, if you get what I mean.  
In other words, until we have  
whipped every single Jerry off  
the map, although the situation  
looks good at the present time.  
So let's keep it that way, O. K.?

I haven't seen any front line  
duty as yet, but hope to join my  
unit soon, as we have been like  
others a good bunch of soldiers  
when it comes to doing a job for  
our country.

As spare time is limited, guess  
I'll have to say so long for this  
time. I remain,

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## Improved SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LINDQUIST, D. D.

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SAUL REJECTED

LESSON TEXT—1 Samuel 15:10-23.

GOLDEN TEXT—Because thou hast re-  
jected the word of the Lord, he hath  
rejected thee from being king—1  
Samuel 15:23.

Moral failure is a direct result of  
disobedience to God's law. He es-  
tablished the moral order in the  
universe. His is the only right  
way, and the man who does not walk  
in God's way is "wrong no matter  
how successful he may seem to be  
at the moment."

After a brief period of success,  
Saul sinned by intruding into the  
priests office at Gilgal (1 Sam. 13:  
10-14). This was not the end of his  
disobedience in the battle with  
the Philistines (1 Sam. 13:16-17). This  
brought final judgment from the  
Lord, and Saul died as a rebel.

Lord of Hosts, grant that we  
who are combatants on land and  
sea in the air, carry out the  
stern duties of war in keeping of the  
enemy away from our shores and  
homes, and defeating the rule of  
night and tyranny—may not un-  
derstand the enemy's plan, but  
necessarily destroy property use-  
ful for good ends or might inflict  
suffering on the innocent.

Help us to overcome our foes  
by fair and lawful means and  
never to stoop to anything base,  
cruel or vindictive.

Thou givest this approval on-  
ly to motives and causes that are  
just and right and we dare not  
ask for victory in anything con-  
trary to Thy will.

Keep our hearts clean and our  
hearts free from evil and make us  
always obedient to Thy laws  
of justice and mercy and in Thy  
hands be the final outcome of all  
strife and war. Amen.

It takes the cooperation  
of her friends for a woman  
to keep a secret.

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## Cryolite Poison

We have a supply of CRYOLITE POISON, for poisoning the Peanut Worm. Get your order in now and watch your fields carefully for the worms. Don't let them get your crop.

Also have a stock of BLUE LUPINE SEED as well as other Field and Garden Seed. We can supply you with Phosphate and other fertilizer needed at this time.

Expect to have a carload of SEED OATS within the next week and it will pay you to place your order now.

Have you ordered your Baby Chicks? We will begin delivering about the first of September.

**Elba Hatchery & Feed Store**  
PHONE 181 ELBA, ALABAMA

## SPECIAL SALE OF FINE CATTLE

**Monday, Sept. 4th**

At Regular Auction Sale  
Of Elba Livestock Market

Next Monday at our regular auction sale, we will sell an entire herd of cattle. Included in this lot will be

75 Head Good White Face Heifers and Steers, all fat, weighing from 700 to 1000 pounds.

30 Head Nice Fat Calves.

40 Head Good Stocker Steers and Heifers.

These cattle are from the stock of Mr. J. T. (Red) Williams and are unusually good stock.

Sale will be held Rain or Shine.

**Elba Livestock Market**

ELBA, ALABAMA

## Complete Repairs For Your Chevrolet Car Or Truck ----

If you own a Chevrolet Passenger Car or Truck you can get almost any kind of repair job needed at Dorsey's. We have all critical parts that have been released by WPB and all other parts that have been available. Try us next time you have trouble getting your repairs made.

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Is equipped with modern machinery and tools and we have the best mechanics available—men trained in all lines of repair work. You don't need to make an engagement, just bring the job to us and we will get it out promptly.

### INDUSTRIAL SPECIAL

Here's exactly what you need to put that Model A Ford engine to work as a Power Unit—The Pierce Governor, Type H, will help you solve the manpower shortage. Come in and let us tell you more about this special equipment.

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## THE ELBA THEATRE WEEKLY PROGRAM

**THURSDAY—LAST DAY**  
"THREE RUSSIAN GIRLS"  
—Featuring—  
Anna Sten, Kent Smith  
Admission 10c & 30c

**FRIDAY—Double Feature**  
"MINESWEEPERS"  
—Starring—  
Richard Arlen and  
Jean Parker  
Western, Serial, Comedy  
Admission 10c & 30c

**SATURDAY ALL DAY**  
"DEATH VALLEY MAN  
HUNT"  
—Starring—  
Bill Elliott, Gabby Hayes  
Admission 10c & 25c

**SAT. 4 P. M.—LATE SHOW**  
Not Yet Booked  
Admission 10c & 30c

**SUNDAY AND MONDAY**  
"FIGHTING SEABEES"  
—Starring—  
John Wayne, Dennis  
O'Keefe, Susan Haywood  
Admission 10c & 30c

**TUESDAY Only—Bargain Day**  
"CONSTANT NYMPH"  
—Starring—  
Charles Boyer and  
Joan Fontaine  
Admission 10c & 20c

**WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY**  
"DUKE OF WEST  
POINT"  
—Starring—  
Louis Hayward, Tom  
Brown, Richard Carlson,  
Joan Fontaine, Alvin  
Curtis  
Admission 10c & 30c

### PERDUE NEWS

Mrs. Howard Manning and children visited Mrs. James Swain Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boutwell, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Newsome, Mr. and Mrs. Earlie Manning and others visited Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Chapman in Elba Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollie Boutwell and Miss Vivian Boutwell attended preaching service at White Rock Sunday. Also singing at Old Sharon Sunday afternoon.

Miss Louise Manning, Mr. and Mrs. Earlie Manning and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Manning visited Mr. and Mrs. Murphree Newsome last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Whitehead visited Mr. and Mrs. Joel Knotts during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Grissitt and children spent the week end at New Brockton with Mr. and Mrs. Clem Grissitt.

Mrs. Winnie Ruth Hurd and Miss Vivian Hurd were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Swain last Friday.

Mrs. Dowl Parrish and children, of New York City, were pleasant visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Manning last week.

Mr. Talmage Houston, of Atmore, was at home with his parents recently.

Mrs. Maggie Durdon has returned home after a visit to relatives at Atmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Trestle Grissitt, of Opelika, visited his brother, J. D. Grissitt, and wife, during the week end.

Lt. Gideon Ray has returned to service after a visit to his mother, Mrs. Vera Ray, and other relatives. He has been overseas for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Talbot Bundy visited Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Napper Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Swain visited Mr. and Mrs. Collier Swain recently.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. White, residents of Elba for several years, are moving to Troy this week to make their home with a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Lane Enzor, of Troy, were guests of Mrs. J. M. Garrett and Miss Jeannette Garrett Tuesday.

## MR. AND MRS. MANNING ARE ENTERTAINED—

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Chapman and Mrs. Wiley Blair were hosts at a dinner given at their home in Elba, Sunday, August 27, honoring James Bernard Manning, S.F. 2-c, of the U. S. Navy, and his recent bride.

Bernard is spending a 15-day leave with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Manning, of Troy Rt. 2, before going to his new Naval assignment at Miami, Fla.

Those attending the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Manning, Louise Manning, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Newsome, Marion Newsome, of Troy Rt. 2; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boutwell, of Jack; Mr. and Mrs. Owen Chapman, Dothan; Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Killingsworth, and son, Horace, of Troy; Mrs. Frank Blair, Elba, and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Manning.—Contributed.

### CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of extending our thanks and appreciation to our friends in Elba and elsewhere for their many expressions of sympathy on account of our bereavement, the loss of our loved one, Nathan Aranson, who gave his life on the battlefield in France. Your interest and sympathy have made our burden easier to bear, and we shall ever be grateful to you.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Aranson and Family.

## SHOWER GIVEN FOR AUGUST BRIDE—

A miscellaneous gift shower was given on Tuesday afternoon, August 8, at the home of Mrs. F. A. Farris in compliment to Miss Martha Edmondson, a bride of August. Associate hostesses with Mrs. Farris were Misses Ann Wright, Mary Tom Hutchison, Nell Rushing and Mrs. Carol S. Hart.

The spacious living room of the Farris home was attractive with decorations of mixed summer flowers in all the soft colors of pastel.

Miss Nell Rushing greeted the guests and presented them to the formal receiving line which included Mrs. Farris, Miss Edmondson, the honoree, Mrs. S. S. Edmondson, her mother; Mrs. R. L. Martin, mother of the groom-elect; Miss Olive Ray Kendrick and Miss Mary Will Kendrick.

Mrs. Carol Hart extended invitations to the dining room where the traditional bridal theme was observed.

A beautiful arrangement of ferns, lilies and roses formed the decorations. Misses Ann Wright and Nona Braswell served a delicious refreshment course of sandwiches, butter fingers, mints and punch from a flower-banked punch bowl which centered the lace-covered table.

A shower of satin ribbons extending from the centerpiece, ended in small nosegays.

Miss Martha Wright presided at the bride's book.

## and also displayed the lovely gifts.

Miss Edmondson wore a becoming costume of white crepe with luggage accessories. Her flowers were a shoulder corsage of yellow rosebuds.

The bread box should be washed at least once a week with hot soap suds, rinsed with boiling water, and dried in the sun to help prevent mold on bread.

## Bernard Cautley, of West Point, Ga., was a visitor to Elba the first of the week.

Kenneth Talbot, of Grand Rapids, Mich., arrived Saturday to spend some time with his father, Forrest Talbot, and other relatives.

After clothes are sprinkled they will dampen evenly if wrapped in a rubber sheet or even a good, heavy brown wrapping paper.

## We Are Ready To Gin Your Cotton

Our gins have been thoroughly reconditioned and are now ready for ginning. We have DRYERS attached to our gins which will give you a better turnout on wet and green cotton.

Remember we buy your cotton and seed and pay the highest prices. Come to see us.

**J. W. Grimes & Sons**

Danley's Cross Roads

Rt. 2, Elba, Ala.

## FASHIONS—FALL '44

Dresses deliberately simple, yet with the soft lines that flatter your femininity... that's the Fall Fashion Story. Sketched are but a few of the many lovelies in our new collection.



**RAYON CREPE DRESSES**  
Blacks and Fall Shades  
One and Two-Piece Styles  
Misses' and Women's Sizes

**\$7.95**

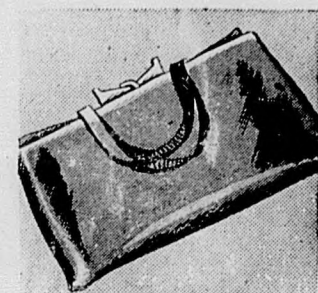
Sketched at left is the new modified torso style with bracelet-length sleeves, splashed with bows at neck and waist for that feminine charm.



**Soft Lines—  
Simply Feminine**  
**YOUR RAYON  
DRESS  
FOR FALL**

**\$5.95**

For flattery plus wear a dress like the one on the left... soft, flowing lines touched off with shirred front skirt and bow neck-line, in smooth draping navy rayon crepe.



**Big Black Handbags**  
The Thing for Fall  
**\$2.95**

Dramatize your Fall ensemble with a big black bag.



**Fall Glove Glamor**  
Smooth and Black  
**\$1.95**

For that final touch to your Fall costume... black gloves.

**For Casual or  
Dress-Up Wear**  
**2-PIECE  
RAYON AND  
WOOL DRESS**

**\$9.95**

A dream of a dress... so versatile! Equally smart for business or those dress-up times. Of 44 percent wool, 51 percent rayon and 5 percent rabbits' hair in new fall shades.

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